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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. 132, effective on May 29, 2000 provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or effer June 8, 1986.

See The American Inventors Projection Apt of 1999 (AIPA).

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE 37 CFR 1.114 is effective on May 20, 2000. If the above-application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under CFR 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) Instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent (erm adjustment prolisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 68 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

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